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MAUI MAKES PREPARATIONS TO ENTERTAIN AND TO BE ENTERTAINED

Wailuku, April 12.—A rousing meeting of public spirited citizens of Wailuku and vicinity was held in the Wailuku courthouse last evening, the object of which was to appoint committees to raise money and likewise to see that Prof. Berger and the Hawaiian band are properly cared for and housed during their brief visit on Maui next week.

G. B. Robertson of the Maui News was called to the chair, while Dr. W. R. Boote performed the functions of the secretary. Among those present were representatives from Wailuke, Kahului and even far off Paia, the representatives from Lahaina, Col. John Richardson having returned that same afternoon after making arrangements for conveyance of the band to Lahaina. The following were appointed: G. B. Robertson, F. Peterman, N. W. Aluli, M. C. Ross and W. E. Bai.

The reception committee will consist of L. M. Baldwin, Jas. N. K. Kool, N. W. Aluli, Geo. Hons and R. W. Filler, the latter two also serving in the same capacity for the Knights of Pythias.

Paia committee—D. C. Lindsay, A. Fernandez Jr. and W. O. Allen.

Wailuke committee—S. E. Kaleikau, H. M. Coke and J. W. L. Marshall.

Outside of the citizens, Judge Kahua and Co. I. N. G. H. Wailuku, will see that the band will not go away hungry. The company may turn out to receive the band.

The itinerary of the band is as follows: Wednesday morning, April 13, Kahului; Wednesday afternoon, Paia; Wednesday evening, Wailuku; Thursday, K. of P. dedication; Friday morning, Wailuke; Friday evening, Spreckelsville. The band will board the Kilauea that evening for Lahaina. An attempt will be made to change Wednesday evening to Spreckelsville and Friday evening at Wailuku.

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WAS THREATENING FIRE

WAILUKU VOLUNTEERS DO VERY QUICK WORK

Child Playing With Matches Started Blaze Above Borba's Store --- Shows the Need of Hydrants for Protection.

Wailuku, April 12.—A small blaze in the upper story of Antonio Borba's store on Market street created quite a stir in Wailuku last Monday afternoon. It was the first fire in Wailuku for a long time. The fire was first discovered in a bed room directly above the store. A little two-year-old girl was left alone in the room, and noticing the absence of the adult members of the family, she began playing with matches lying around within her easy reach. The netting was first set on fire and then the bed caught.

When one of the older daughters of Mr. Borba came up to the room, she hastily snatched the baby away and then gave the alarm. In a very few minutes the little room in which the fire was raging, was completely packed with men with buckets of water. The room was so packed that there was hardly space for those inside to move about. Another large force of volunteer firemen climbed the roof and began tearing away the shingles, and through the apertures thus made a stream of water from an inch hose was played successfully on the fire. In less than half an hour the fire was put out.

The only damage done was the burning of netting, bedstead and wall paper. The room was completely drenched.

It was fortunate for Wailuku that this fire was arrested by the alertness of the volunteer citizens for had the fire been allowed to get beyond control, Market street would have been reduced to a pile of ashes, and the entire absence of hydrants would have largely contributed towards that inevitable result.

LENT IN LONDON

London, March 29.—Abstaining from eating meat during Lent is quite going out of fashion in London. This, apparently, is due more to the high prices of fish than to a decline in religious feeling. There has never been so many special religious services and they have never been so largely attended, and never was there a Lent or a Holy Week in which the butchers were busier. Owing to the stormy weather which prevailed during the month of March, the fishermen were unable to send full supplies of fish, hence the scarcity and high prices of the usual Lenten food. Apart from trade reasons, society's attitude has probably something to do with London's consumption of food, for the restaurants were nightly crowded throughout Lent with non-abstaining notables, while the number of social dinners enormously exceeded those of the former regime.

Only as regards marriages has London's old-time observance of Lent remained. None of any importance has occurred. The royal family did not join in the fasting this week, but King Edward was the guest at a dinner given during the week by Major General Fisher-Paget and Mrs. Paget. Another American woman, Mrs. Adair, gave a cotillion March 25th, which was one of the most brilliant events of the London season.

Queen Alexandra, who is at present at Copenhagen, and who until lately never cared for curries, is now a devotee of bridge whist. She was so desirous of becoming an expert that she paid a tutor to teach her and acquired such proficiency that her playing at Lord Farquhar's royal party was much commented upon. Her Majesty paid her losses out of a little gold purse hung to her waist. King Edward has long been an expert bridge whist player, but the Queen's conversation causes some comment.

YOKOHAMA HOUSE TAX.

Yokohama, March 25.—The authorities here have aroused the resentment of the foreign residents by seizing properties of those who refuse to pay the house tax. They have seized money of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank and the Chartered Bank of India. Today they seized money and property at Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s and at other places of business, and at residences. The officials refuse to accept payment of the tax under protest. The legations are receiving numerous complaints from foreigners of the treatment the latter have been subjected to.

More Work than Play.—"Does she play whist?" "No. She makes the worst work of it you ever saw."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

KAMEHAMEHA WINNER

NATIVE BOYS ECLIPSE EFFORT OF OPPONENTS

Made 63 Out of Possible 106 Points --Punahou Next With 23-- Y. M. C. A. Brought Up Rear.

The field day of the Boys' Brigade Saturday is conceded by all to have been the most successful event of the kind ever held in Honolulu or in the islands anywhere. It was carried out with a vim that has very seldom been equaled and the various events that composed the program were taken part in by the best athletes of the city taken from the various educational institutions and athletic organizations and who with a very few exceptions, were in the very pink of condition.

There was a large number of people present. The grandstand was crowded and there were many people in carriages, on bicycles, horseback and foot. The band was present and from a position at the makai end of the grandstand, furnished lively airs throughout the afternoon. The central position in the grandstand was occupied by Princess Kawamanoa who awarded the prize cup at the conclusion of the events and gave leis to the various victors in the track and field events. With her were Mrs. Sanford B. Dole, Miss Adams, Miss Anita Chrysler, Miss Campbell, Miss Irene Dickson and Miss Roe Cunha. The Kamehameha boys won the day by an overwhelming number of points, their total being more than those of all the other teams put together. It is a great pity the Honolulu Athletic Club could not have taken part. It seems certain that the result would have been different although it is conceded by all that the Kamehameha boys would have won the day in any event. Following were the scores made:

Kamehameha—63.
Punahou—23.
Maile-Himas—6.
Artillery—5.
Y. M. C. A.—2.

Following is a summary of the victors of the day and their scores in the various events:

100-yard dash—First, Akana (K.); second, Pa (K.); third, Hopkins (M. I.); time, 19.4-5; island record, 19. 2-5.
Half-mile run—First, Brown (P.); second, Kahala (K.); third, Anderson (M. I.); time, 2:14 2-5; island record, 2:08.

120-yard hurdle—First, Miller (P.); time, 17.4-5; island record, 16.4.
Mile run—First, Manis (A.); second, Clark (M. I.); time, 5:19 2-5; island record, 5:43.

440-yard dash—First, Scharsch (K.); second, A. Marcellino (P.); third, Maloho (K.); time, 1:54; island record, 1:54 4-5.

220-yard dash—First, Akana (K.); second, Pa (K.); third, Hopkins (M. I.); time, 2:23 2-5; island record, 2:23 2-5.

220-yard hurdle—First, Robinson (P.); second, Pa (K.); third, Keolaha (K.); time, 2:28 1-5; island record, 2:29.

Relay race—Kam. team, time, 3:47; island record, 3:46. Akana finished for the Kamehamehas.

12-pound shot put—First, Richards (K.); second, Kame (K.); third, Ewaliko (Y.); distance, 42 ft. 2 1/2 in.; island record, 42 ft. 8 in.

High jump—First, Hardee (K.); second, Hopper (Y.); third, Rycroft (P.); distance, 5 ft. 6 1/2 in.; island record, 5 feet 6 in.

START MAUI BASEBALL

FOUR TEAM LEAGUE WILL BE ORGANIZED

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Severe Defeat for the Prohibitionists

POLO AND BASEBALL.

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GOOD MAUNAOLU CONCERT.

Wailuku, April 12.—A concert given at Maunaloa seminary, Paia, last evening was quite largely attended. The entertainment consisted of singing and piano solos by the school girls. Those who attended the exercises were well repaid for their trouble for the singing of the girls was all that could be desired. The receipts netted very handsomely and will go towards the school fund.

PETITION FOR MRS. MAYBRICK.

New York, April 4.—Women of the New York Legislative League will, it is announced, send a memorial to King Edward praying that on the occasion of his coronation he will pardon Mrs. Florence Maybrick. They base their petition, not on the theory of her innocence, but on the ground that she already has suffered sufficiently for any crime she may have committed.

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